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CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT

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Karl Truman and Ted Carter

P. O. Box 249

Minersville, Utah 84752

Re: Reclamation Requirements, Karl Truman and Ted Carter, Truman/Carter Mine,
S/021/022, Iron County, Utah

Dear Messrs. Truman and Carter:

On February 27, 2002, Mr. Paul Baker of the Division staff, inspected your mining operations near Herd Pass in the Wah Wah Mountains of Iron county. A copy of the inspection report is enclosed. Our records indicate that you requested by telephone on November 6, 2000, that the permit be released; however, the inspection revealed that reclamation has not been completed. The minerals regulatory program rules specifically state that "trenches and small pits shall be reclaimed" (R647-3-109.10) and that the vegetation must be restored to at least 70 percent of the premining vegetative ground cover (R647-3-109.13). Neither of these has been done as evidenced by the photographs attached to the inspection report.

Mr. Baker has spoken twice with Dewey Cammack, the surface owner, about having you reclaim the sites. He informed Mr. Baker that he is willing to allow you on his property to complete your reclamation obligations so long as the work is closely supervised. Reclamation should not be terribly difficult; a backhoe could probably finish the work in a day. We would be happy to work with you to arrange a time when Mr. Baker could be on site, possibly together with Mr. Cammack, to witness and supervise the reclamation work.

If you fail or refuse to conduct reclamation as required by the minerals regulatory program, the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining may, after notice and hearing, order that reclamation be conducted by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining; and that the costs and expenses of reclamation, together with costs of collection including attorney's fees, be recovered in a civil action brought by the attorney general against you in any appropriate court (R647-3-111).

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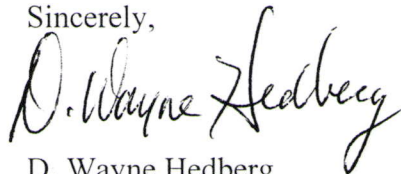
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Please contact me at 801-538-5286 or Mr. Baker at 801-538-5261, to arrange a time when you can do the reclamation work. Please contact Mr. Baker directly with any questions about the reclamation requirements. Thank you for your cooperation and immediate attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "D. Wayne Hedberg". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

D. Wayne Hedberg
Permit Supervisor
Senior Reclamation Specialist

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Enclosure: Inspection Report with Photos

cc: Dewey Cammack
Will Stokes, SITLA

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